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Devirtualization of I/O Devices by a Virtual

(HPC.0518US)

Machine Monitor

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COMMUNICATION CONCERNING RELATED APPLICATIONS

Applicants would like to bring to the Examiner's attention the following related applications and office actions in the above-identified patent application:

Atty. Docket No: 200208633-1 (HPC.0522US)

Title: Interposing a Virtual Machine Monitor and Devirtualizing

Computer Hardware

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Title: Runtime virtualization and devirtualization of memory by a

virtual machine monitor

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Applicants request that the Examiner review the above-listed application(s), office action(s), and all continuation(s) or divisional(s) of the above-listed or previously-cited patent application(s) before allowing the claims of the present patent application. Continuation(s) and divisional(s) may be later filed on the cases listed above, or cited to the Examiner in any previous Communication Concerning Related Applications.

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